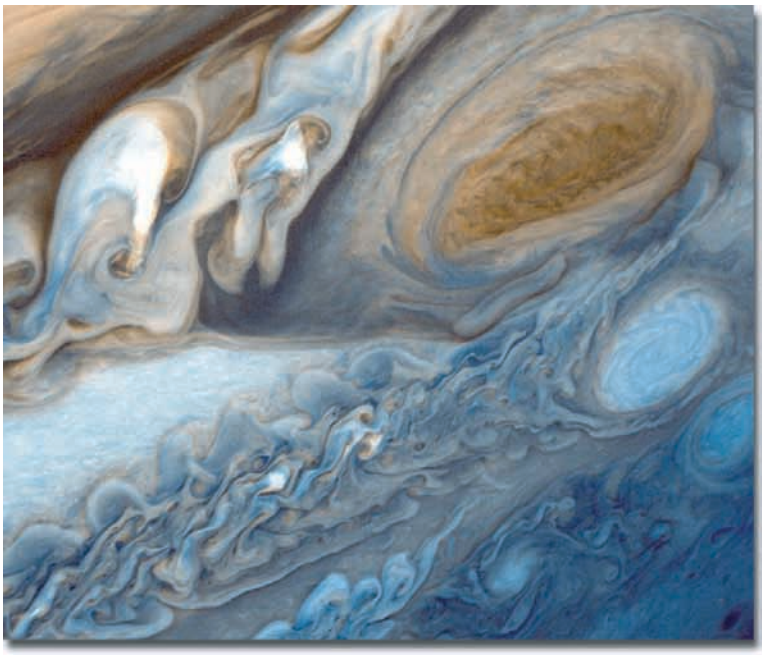
The Space Place New Millennium Calendar



This image of Jupiter's stormy atmosphere was sent back by the Voyager spacecraft. See some other amazing images from Voyagers' Grand Tour of the outer planets of our solar system at spaceplace.nasa.gov/vgr_fact3.htm .

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Library Card Sign-up Month. Visit one of our Space Place library partners and sign up for a card.			1 **Pioneer 11** makes the first flyby of Saturn and discovers a new moon and rings, 1979. Why does Saturn have rings? Find out at The Space Place	2	3 Unmanned U.S. spacecraft **Viking 2** lands on Mars to take the first close-up, color photographs of the planet's surface, 1976. Make a Mosaic Robot Puzzle.	4 **Kodak patents roll film camera**, 1888. See how far we have come from a roll of film to pictures made by the Voyager spacecraft.
5 **Launch of Voyager 1**, 1977. Check out photos of the solar system at The Space Place. **National Cheese Pizza Day**. Make a galactic mobile using a frozen pizza cardboard.	LAST QUARTER 6 **Read a Book Day**. Read about why the sky is blue.	7	8 **Launch of GOES-4 satellite**, 1980. It keeps an eye on the weather over half of Earth. At The Space Place, you can become a weather wizard!	9 **Teddy Bear Day**. Make a topo map of your own favorite bear.	10	11
12	13	NEW MOON 14	15	16 **Collect Rocks Day**. Make asteroid potatoes.	17	18
19	20	FIRST QUARTER 21 **Miniature Golf Day**. Build a Newtonian physics machine using golf balls.	22 **Family Day**. Launch a rocket from a spinning planet with your family at the playground. **Autumnal equinox** (first day of fall)	23	24	25
26	27	FULL MOON 28	29	30		

Month of September: spaceplace.nasa.gov/museums/index.html
Sept. 1: spaceplace.nasa.gov/cassini_make3.html
Sept. 3: spaceplace.nasa.gov/robots/robot_puzzle.htm
Sept. 4: spaceplace.nasa.gov/vgr_fact1.htm
Sept. 5: spaceplace.nasa.gov/teachers_ss_images.htm
spaceplace.nasa.gov/galex_make1.htm
Sept. 6: spaceplace.nasa.gov/teachers/bluesky_blacksky.pdf
Sept. 8: spaceplace.nasa.gov/teachers/weather_maps.pdf
Sept. 9: spaceplace.nasa.gov/srtm_action1.htm
Sept. 16: spaceplace.nasa.gov/ds1_ast.htm
Sept. 21: spaceplace.nasa.gov/funphysics.htm
Sept. 22: spaceplace.nasa.gov/ds1_mgr.htm